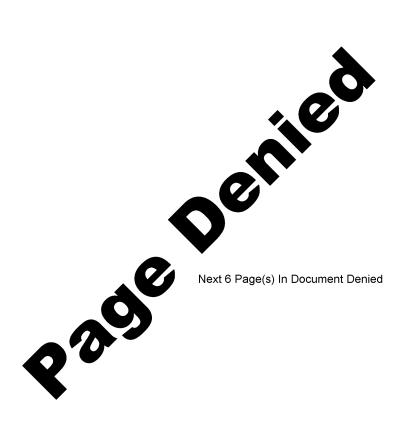
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- The Rijeka oil refinery began experiments in June 1946 in the production of petroleum acid as used in the printing industry. This acid was formerly obtained from Rumania.
- The method employed at Rijeka is the invention of Vladimir Dezelic.

  Production of petroleum acid is to be increased to 40 tons at the beginning of 1950.
- 3. The experimental section of the Rijeka refinery which employs 150 workers is directed by Engineer Ferdinand Kirigin under the supervision of Professor Dezelic.

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